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FM AMEMBASSY CARACAS

TO AMEMBASSY BRIDGETOWN FLASH

INFO AMEMBASSY KINGTSON

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AMEMBASSY OTTAWA

AMEMBASSY PORT OF SPAIN

SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 5860

C O N F I D E N T I A L CARACAS 14140

EO 11652 GDS

TAGS: EAIR BB CU

1. NO US GOVT EMPLOYEE NAMED MCCLOUD KNOWN TO BE
ASSIGNED IN AREA.

2. CARACAS MESSAGE 14106
CONTAINS PERTINENT INFO
RELATING TO LEO. IT IS NOT KNOWN WHAT MORE CAN BE SAID
BEYOND FACT LEO IS NOT MEMBER OF CIA; RICARDO WAS ONLY
CASUALLY KNOWN TO HIM AND WAS DEFINITELY NOT WORKING FOR
LEO IN ANY CAPACITY. LEO WAS IN NO WAY INVOLVED IN ANY
ASPECT OF CUBANA CRASH.

3. ON NOV 27 RICARDO HELD A PRESS CONFERENCE IN
CARACAS IN WHICH HE DENIED BEING A CIA AGENT AND ADDING
THAT HE HAD TRAVELLED TO TRINIDAD ON AN INTELLIGENCE
MISSION FOR A VENEZUELAN SECURITY AGENCY.

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4. DEPT MAY WISH TO CONSIDER INSTRUCTING

BARBADOS TO DENY THAT RICARDO WAS CONNECTED WITH THE
CIA.
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